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REPORT ON VOLUNTEERS

1. Tabulation of your replies to the Federal Civil Defense Administration's recent request for information on the subject indicates that Pennsylvania has 270,000 civil defense workers now enrolled.

2. The federal Civil Defense Administration gives these totals for the Nation:

New York	417,399	Delaware	10,500
Pennsylvania	270,000	North Carolina	10,000
California	225,965	Missouri	9,000
New Jersey	183,000	Wisconsin	8,000
Connecticut	75,000	Illinois	8,000
Washington	50,000	Indiana	8,000
Texas	40,000	Nebraska	8,000
Kansas	37,000	Vermont	7,500
Michigan	35,000	Minnesota	7,000
Virginia	35,500	Colorado	7,000
Ohio	35,000	Idaho	7,000
Oregon	34,000	Montana	6,000
Massachusetts	32,772	Arizona	5,100
District of Columbia	30,389	Iowa	5,000
Louisiana	30,000	South Carolina	5,000
Tennessee	26,000	Alabama	5,000
West Virginia	25,600	Mississippi	5,000
Florida	23,000	Arkansas	4,000
Rhode Island	21,000	Oklahoma	3,000
Maine	20,000	Wyoming	3,000
Kentucky	15,000	New Mexico	3,000
Utah	13,860	North Dakota	2,000
New Hampshire	12,000	South Dakota	2,000
Georgia	12,000	Nevada	674
Maryland	11,500	Total	1,849,759

3. On behalf of the State Council of Civil Defense, I take this opportunity to congratulate you and all your fellow workers on your outstanding accomplishments.

4. Also, we wish at this time to extend through you to all civil defense workers in the Commonwealth every good wish for Christmas and the New Year.

Richard Gerstell
Director of Civil Defense

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